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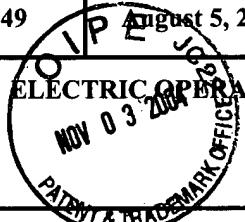
Applicant(s): Kenji Harano, et al.

Docket No.

14095Z

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Invention: ELECTRIC OPERATION APPARATUS


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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Sir:

In response to the non-final Official Action dated July 28, 2004, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in light of the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

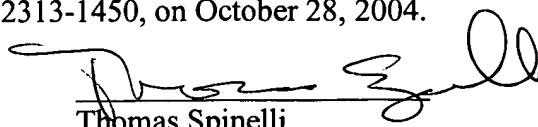
Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 6.

Remarks begin on page 7.

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